

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF	APPLICATION FOR INFORMAL PROBATE AND/OR APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE (TESTATE/INTESTATE)	FILE NO.
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Estate of _____

1. I, _____, am interested in the estate and make this application as
Name of applicant

Relationship to decedent, i.e., heir, devisee, child, spouse, creditor, beneficiary, etc.

2. Decedent information: _____
Date of death Time (if known) Date of birth **XXX-XX-**
Last four digits of SSNDomicile (at date of death): _____
City/Township/Village County State3. ☐ A death certificate has been issued, and a copy is attached.☐ No death certificate is available. Attached is alternative documentation of the decedent's death.4. So far as I know or could ascertain with reasonable diligence, the names and addresses of the heirs and devisees of the decedent and other interested persons, the relationship to the decedent, and the ages of any who are minors are as follows:
(required testimony forms are attached)

NAME	ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP	AGE (if minor)

Of the above interested persons, the following are under legal disability or otherwise represented and presently have or will require representation:

NAME	LEGAL DISABILITY	REPRESENTED BY Name, address, and capacity

5. ☐ a. Venue is proper in this county because the decedent was domiciled in this county on the date of death.
☐ b. The decedent was not domiciled in Michigan, but venue is proper in this county because property of the decedent was located in this county at the date of death.

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6. ☐ a. The decedent died intestate and after exercising reasonable diligence, I am unaware of any unrevoked testamentary instrument relating to property located in this state as defined under MCL 700.1301.
- ☐ b. I am aware of an unrevoked testamentary instrument relating to property located in this state as defined under MCL 700.1301, but the instrument is not being probated because (if this statement is true, the probate register must deny this application

according to MCL 700.3311): _____

The instrument ☐ is attached to this application. ☐ is already in the court's possession.

- ☐ c. The decedent's will, dated _____, with codicil(s) dated _____, is offered for probate and ☐ is attached to this application. ☐ is already in the court's possession.

- ☐ d. An authenticated copy of the will and codicil(s), if any, probated in _____ County, _____ State is offered for probate, and documents establishing its probate are attached to this application.

7. To the best of my knowledge, I believe that the instrument(s) subject to this application, if any, was validly executed and is the decedent's last will. After exercising reasonable diligence, I am unaware of an instrument revoking the will or codicil(s).

- ☐ 8. A personal representative has been previously appointed in _____ County, _____ State and the appointment has not been terminated. The personal representative's name and address are:

Name Address

City, state, zip

- ☐ 9. I nominate _____, as personal representative, who is qualified and has the
Name
following priority for appointment: _____. His/her address is: _____
Address

City, state, zip

- ☐ 10. Other persons have prior or equal right to appointment as personal representative. They are:

Name Name

Name Name

Suitable renunciations, nominations, and/or a Notice of Intent to Seek Informal Appointment and proof of its service have or will be filed.

- ☐ 11. The will expressly requests that the personal representative serve with bond.

- ☐ 12. A special personal representative is necessary because _____.

I REQUEST:

- ☐ 13. Informal probate of the will.

- ☐ 14. Informal appointment of the nominated personal representative ☐ with ☐ without bond.

- ☐ 15. The appointment of a special personal representative pending the appointment of the nominated personal representative.

I declare under the penalties of perjury that this application has been examined by me and that its contents are true to the best of my information, knowledge, and belief.

Date

Attorney signature

Applicant signature

Attorney name (type or print) Bar no.

Applicant name (type or print)

Address

Address

City, state, zip

Telephone no.

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